

Sinclair Broadcasting uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. Their forcing stations to air a biased political program violates any equal time or balance requirements. Mandatory partisan programming does not serve the public good -- or the political dialogue and what we need for our democracy.

We need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. The license renewal process needs to protect the integrity of our democracy. Sinclair's behavior certainly does not. Thank you.